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DRUG DISTRICT

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**TABLE No. 1.—Rainfall (in**  
(This Table is taken from Statement I.)

YEAR.	June.	July.	August.	Total early monsoon.	Septem- ber.	October.	Novem- ber.	Total late monsoon.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.
Average of 40 years ending 1910-11.	8.90	14.44	13.40	35.74	7.78	1.69	0.45	3.92
1906-07 ...	8.34	17.47	7.70	33.51	10.60	0.47	0.29	11.36
1907-08 ...	7.74	8.31	12.49	28.54	7.70	...	0.84	8.54
1908-09 ...	9.51	11.05	24.06	44.62	5.08	1.19	...	5.27
1909-10 ...	6.86	15.06	9.77	31.69	6.44	1.14	...	7.58
1910-11 ...	6.24	9.68	21.28	37.20	15.07	0.49	2.07	17.63
1911-12 ...	9.87	4.34	22.73	36.94	4.81	6.67	.76	12.24
1912-13 ...								
1913-14 ...								
1914-15 ...								
1915-16 ...								
1916-17 ...								
1917-18 ...								
1918-19 ...								
1919-20 ...								
1920-21 ...								











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**TABLE No. 2.—Statistics of Area and Population**  
(This Table has been compiled from Imperial Census)

Tahsil.	Area.	No. of Towns.	No. of Villages.	No. of occupied Houses.	POPULATION, 1911.		
					Males.	Females.	Total.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
Drug Tahsil Khalsa ...	924	1	507	46,640	105,520	115,203	220,723
Do. Zamindaris ...	140	...	69	5,290	12,339	13,629	25,968
Bemetara Tahsil Khalsa.	952	...	604	43,263	99,450	109,305	208,755
Do. Zamindaris ...	614	...	281	12,262	28,803	29,939	58,742
Sanjari Tahsil Khalsa..	891	...	481	31,763	76,329	82,632	158,961
Do. Zamindaris ...	1,124	...	570	20,423	50,718	51,821	102,539
Grand Total ...	4,645	1	2,512	159,640	373,159	402,529	775,688

\* Tahsil figures include only Hindu, Animist and Muhammadan literates as literacy for the Christian

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**Table No. 3.—Variation in**  
(This Table has been compiled from

TOWN.	POPULATION.					PERCENTAGE OF	
	1911.	1901.	1891.	1881.	1872.	1901-1911.	1891-1901.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
Drug ... ..	7,048	4,602	1,151	3,797	...	+76.1	- 3.6

### and Variation in Population for Tahsils.

Table V and the Provincial Census Tables I and II.)

DENSITY PER SQUARE MILE.		Popula- tion, 1901.	Popula- tion, 1891.	Popula- tion, 1881.	Percentage of in- crease or decre- ase, 1901-1911.	Percentage of in- crease or decre- ase, 1891-1901.	Percentage of in- crease or decre- ase, 1881-1891.	No. of Literate Persons.
Total.	Rural.							
9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17
239	231	209,362	...	Not available.	+ 17.83	...	Not available.	5,288
185	185							320
219	219	240,843	..		+ 11.07	...		3,372
96	96							683
178	178	236,168	...		+ 15.65	...		2,773
91	91							811
167	165	676,313	812,675	...	+ 14.69	- 16.78	...	•13,982

and minor religions was not sorted for smaller units than the District.

### Population of Town since 1872.

Imperial Census Tables IV and V.)

VARIATION.		RELIGIONS, 1911.					REMARKS.
1881-1891.	1872-1881.	Hindus.	Musal mans.	Jains.	Christians.	Others.	
9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16
+9.3	...	5,977	746	121	56	118	











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## TABLE No. 4.—Castes over 3,000 (arranged in order of precedence.)

CASTES.	Persons according to Census of 1911.	Percentage of Population.	REMARKS.
1	2	3	4
<b>GROUP I (a).</b>			
<i>Twice-born Castes (wearing the sacred thread).</i>			
Brahman ... ..	13,171	2	
Rajput ... ..	7,882	1	
(Knyastha ... ..	872	1)	
Bania ... ..	3,256	4	
Total Group I (a) ...	25,181	3	
<b>GROUP I (b).</b>			
<i>(Other Castes akin to Brahman.)</i>			
Bairagi ... ..	3,207	4	
Total Group I (b) ...	3,207	4	
<b>GROUP II (a).</b>			
<i>Higher Cultivators (from whom a Brahman takes water).</i>			
Ahir ... ..	70,950	9	
Kurmi ... ..	36,655	5	
Lodhi ... ..	12,268	2	
Mali ... ..	24,109	3	
Total Group II (a) ...	143,982	19	
<b>GROUP II (b).</b>			
<i>Higher Artisans (from whom a Brahman takes water).</i>			
Sunar ... ..	3,517	5	
Total Group II (b) ...	3,517	5	
<b>GROUP II (c).</b>			
<i>Serving Castes (from whom a Brahman takes water).</i>			
Nai ... ..	8,280	1	
Dhimar ... ..	5,600	1	
Kewat ... ..	33,025	4	
Total Group II (c) ...	46,905	6	

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**TABLE No. 4.—Castes over 3,000 (arranged in order of precedence)—*conold.***

CASTES.	Persons according to Census of 1911.	Percentage of Population.	REMARKS.
1	2	3	4
<b>GROUP III (b).</b>			
<i>Lower Artisans, Trading and Miscellaneous Castes.</i>			
Kalar ... ..	14,549	3	
Koshiti ... ..	11,755	2	
Teli... ..	132,340	17	
Lohar ... ..	8,481	1	
Gadariu ... ..	5,493	1	
Total Group III (b) ...	172,618	22	
<b>GROUP IV.</b>			
<i>Forest Tribes.</i>			
Gond ... ..	115,446	15	
Kawar ... ..	6,297	1	
Halba ... ..	49,199	6	
Total Group IV ...	170,941	22	
<b>GROUP V.</b>			
<i>Impure Castes.</i>			
Ganda ... ..	7,031	1	
Kumhar ... ..	3,155	4	
Mehra ... ..	23,013	3	
Chamar ... ..	121,382	16	
Panka ... ..	15,252	2	
Dhobi ... ..	12,649	2	
Total Group V ...	182,782	24	
<i>Others.</i>			
Musalman ... ..	6,881	1	
{ European and Anglo-Indian ... ..	39	.005	{
{ Indian Christian ... ..	1,320	.2	









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TABLE No. 5.—Language.

(This Table has been compiled from Census Imperial Table No. X.)

Name of Language.	Number of Persons speaking the Language.	REMARKS.
1	2	3
Hindi ... ..	732,025	
Urdu ... ..	910	
Marwari ... ..	1,161	
Marathi ... ..	9,866	
Gujarati ... ..	222	
Gondi ... ..	30,988	
English ... ..	36	
Other Minor Languages ... ..	491	















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TABLE No. 6.—

(This Table has been compiled from

YEAR.	BIRTHS.		DEATHS.		Percentage of deaths under 5 years of age to total.
	Total.	Per mille of population.	Total.	Per mille of population.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
1906	31,058	49.38	23,438	37.27	57.92
1907	33,326	52.83	22,929	36.45	60.42
1908	36,247	53.69	28,357	41.92	61.34
1909	37,716	55.76	19,795	29.27	60.99
1910	40,433	59.78	27,917	41.27	68.63
1911	41,489	58.49	27,078	34.90	64.29
1912	39,217	50.55	31,796	40.99	63.08
1913					
1914					
1915					
1916					
1917					
1918					
1919					
1920					
1921					

(a) For purposes of calculation the figures of population in each year have

## Vital Statistics (a).

the Annual Sanitary Reports.)

DEATHS FROM								YEAR.
Cholera.	Per mille of popula- tion.	Small-pox.	Per mille of popula- tion.	Plague.	Per mille of popula- tion.	Fever.	Per mille of popula- tion.	
7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15
1,061	1.67	762	1.21	2	.....	12,359	19.65	1906
392	0.62	676	1.07	66	0.10	12,506	19.88	1907
1,460	2.14	1,221	1.80	.....	.....	14,943	22.09	1908
206	0.31	270	0.40	2	.....	11,423	16.88	1909
55	0.08	96	0.14	.....	.....	17,001	25.44	1910
70	0.09	20	0.02	1	.....	17,899	23.05	1911
499	.87	400	0.51	17	.02	19,882	25.76	1912
								1913
								1914
								1915
								1916
								1917
								1918
								1919
								1920

been deduced from Statistics Returns.









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TABLE No. 7.—General

(This Table has been compiled from information

YEAR	Total area.	Govern- ment forests.	Village area.	UNOCCUPIED AREA.		
				Tree- forest scrub jun- gle and grass.	Groves, water, hill and rock, and roads and building.	Total.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.
1905-06 ... ..	2,440,701	111,360	2,144,305	426,583	163,645	590,228
1906-07 ... ..	2,441,295	111,367	2,144,902	423,938	164,014	587,952
1907-08 ... ..	3,025,744	111,367	2,531,480	614,658	198,586	813,244
1908-09 ... ..	3,025,744	111,367	2,530,806	604,131	199,086	803,217
1909-10 ... ..	3,024,744	111,857	2,530,793	589,330	199,214	788,544
1910-11 ... ..	3,024,731	111,857	2,530,793	579,067	198,414	777,481
1911-12 ... ..	3,024,731	111,857	2,534,182	575,580	193,948	769,528
1912-13 ... ..						
1913-14 ... ..						
1914-15 ... ..						
1915-16 ... ..						
1916-17 ... ..						
1917-18 ... ..						
1918-19 ... ..						
1919-20 ... ..						
1920-21 ... ..						

# Statistics of Cultivation.

furnished by the Deputy Commissioner.)

OCCUPIED AREA.					KHARIF CROPS.		YEAR.
Area out of cultivation (old fallow).	Area in cultivation.			Total occupied area.	Rice.	Kodon and Kutki.	
	New fallow.	Under crop.	Total.				
8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15
Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	
82,558	189,634	1,281,885	1,471,519	1,554,077	537,469	379,637	1906-06
85,325	154,459	1,317,166	1,471,625	1,556,950	537,935	379,793	1906-07
106,366	324,748	1,288,127	1,612,870	1,718,236	604,758	368,454	1907-08
107,778	262,196	1,357,615	1,619,811	1,727,589	631,499	325,682	1908-09
98,493	206,674	1,437,082	1,643,756	1,742,249	651,153	321,020	1909-10
78,853	145,703	1,528,756	1,674,459	1,753,312	655,643	380,986	1910-11
75,675	167,310	1,522,254	1,687,564	1,764,839	666,999	354,172	1911-12
							1912-13
							1913-14
							1914-15
							1915-16
							1916-17
							1917-18
							1918-19
							1919-20
							1920-21



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TABLE No. 7.—General

(This Table has been compiled from information.

YEAR.	KHARIF CROPS.			RABI			
	Sugar-cane.	(a) Til.	Total Kharif crops.	Wheat.	(a) Urad and Mung.	Gram.	Linseed.
1	16	17	18	19	20	21	22
	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.
1905-06 ... ..	816	10,958	974,083	196,882	165,457	29,577	81,874
1906-07 ... ..	825	12,810	970,827	206,647	180,285	26,020	106,959
1907-08 ... ..	838	24,737	1,088,048	184,372	110,622	22,922	27,024
1908-09 ... ..	320	21,949	1,068,619	147,562	197,093	33,091	109,894
1909-10 ... ..	298	29,286	1,098,688	186,141	149,667	34,194	99,065
1910-11 ... ..	220	29,766	1,169,609	217,424	190,207	41,225	115,724
1911-12 ... ..	386	21,671	1,189,164	201,834	182,465	33,636	198,557
1912-13 ... ..							
1913-14 ... ..							
1914-15 ... ..							
1915-16 ... ..							
1916-17 ... ..							
1917-18 ... ..							
1918-19 ... ..							
1919-20 ... ..							
1920-21 ... ..							

(a) This crop is grown in both the Autumn and Spring seasons.

# Statistics of Cultivation—(concluded).

furnished by the Deputy Commissioner.)

CROPS.	Area double-cropped.	IRRIGATION.			No. of ploughs.	No. of plough cattle.	YEAR.
		Irrigated area.	No. of Irrigation tanks.	No. of Irrigation wells.			
23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30
Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	
597,410	289,608	10,137	1,852	3,377	81,744	227,362	1905-06
661,520	316,181	7,412	1,874	3,697	84,271	236,319	1906-07
373,458	178,379	63,281	2,100	8,876	93,311	314,670	1907-08
637,604	348,608	42,205	2,099	4,335	94,336	263,019	1908-09
611,172	272,778	51,950	2,094	4,381	94,834	35,132	1909-10
737,646	578,498	14,115	1,948	4,537	97,267	275,287	1910-11
865,722	420,632	9,824	2,597	4,503	98,902	280,210	1911-12
							1912-13
							1913-14
							1914-15
							1915-16
							1916-17
							1917-18
							1918-19
							1919-20
							1920-21









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TABLE No. 8.—Outturn of Crops (Outturn in American  
(This Table has been compiled from Statement V

YEAR.	KHARIF.					
	Juar.	Tur.	Rice, broadcast.	Rice, trans- planted.	Cotton.	Til.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
1905-06 ... ..	.....	60	70	70	75	75
1906-07 ... ..	120	45	100	120	104	110
1907-08 ... ..	75	55	50	60	69	49
1908-09 ... ..	90	100	100	120	95	107
1909-10 ... ..	85	120	85	120	98	102
1910-11 ... ..	100	110	105	130	90	102
1911-12 ... ..	100	90	130	120	80	67
1912-13 ... ..						
1913-14 ... ..						
1914-15 ... ..						
1915-16 ... ..						
1916-17 ... ..						
1917-18 ... ..						
1918-19 ... ..						
1919-20 ... ..						
1920-21 ... ..						

Notation, taking 100 to represent a Normal Crop  
of the Season and Crop Reports.)

Kodan and Kutki.	Sugar- cane.	RABI.				Percentage of actual outturn of all crops taken to- gether on Normal Outturn of Normal Area (Normal Outturn = 13·3 annas).	YEAR.
		Wheat.	Gram.	Masur.	Linseed.		
8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15
75	75	82	60	90	79	75	1905-06
120	100	105	70	75	98	101	1906-07
85	100	92	95	90	60	46	1907-08
60	100	105	100	90	85	93	1908-09
95	100	113	110	110	97	102	1909-10
105	100	103	105	100	106	124	1910-11
105	100	106	105	100	79	129	1911-12
							1912-13
							1913-14
							1914-15
							1915-16
							1916-17
							1917-18
							1918-19
							1919-20
							1920-21

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## TABLE No. 9.—Loans (Principal and Interest).

(This Table has been compiled from information furnished by the Deputy Commissioner.)

YEAR.	LAND IMPROVEMENT LOANS.						YEAR.
	Total amount of advances outstanding at the commencement of the year (Principal).	Advances.	Demand for collection (current and arrears) (Principal and Interest).	Total collections.		Remissions.	
				Principal.	Interest.		
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	
1905-06 ...	17,301	3,010	6,461	5,384	217	...	1905-06
1906-07 ...	14,660	...	6,230	5,239	591	400	1906-07
1907-08 ...	5,086	18,150	7,309	3,723	296	...	1907-08
1908-09 ...	81,463	...	19,946	18,402	4,287	...	1908-09
1909-10 ...	63,062	1,962	16,834	(a) 12,018	5,137	...	1909-10
1910-11 ...	53,005	1,930	16,730	(b) 12,745	3,404	...	1910-11
1911-12 ...	42,012	...	9,985	9,655	2,882	...	1911-12
1912-13 ...							1912-13
1913-14 ...							1913-14
1914-15 ...							1914-15
1915-16 ...							1915-16
1916-17 ...							1916-17
1917-18 ...							1917-18
1918-19 ...							1918-19
1919-20 ...							1919-20
21 ...							1920-21

Includes Rs. 1,471 on account of advance collections during the year.

)    "    "    205    "    "    "    "    "    "    "

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TABLE No. 9.—Loans (Principal and Interest).

(This Table has been compiled from information furnished by the Deputy Commissioner.)

YEAR.	AGRICULTURAL LOANS.						YEAR.
	Total amount of advances outstanding at the commencement of the year (Principal).	Advances.	Demand for collection (current and arrears) (Principal and Interest).	Total collections.		Remissions.	
				Principal.	Interest.		
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	
1905-06 ...	21,143	17,331	21,259	19,659	736	166	1905-06
1906-07 ...	18,648	4,386	19,268	18,088	634	546	1906-07
1907-08 ...	4,400	1,31,339	4,135	42	2	...	1907-08
1908-09 ...	1,35,697	63,513	1,76,627	1,66,801	6,890	30	1908-09
1909-10 ...	32,439	(a) 32,082	32,878	(b) 30,558	1,986	68	1909-10
1910-11 ...	33,896	(c) 15,445	34,550	(d) 32,959	1,722	64	1910-11
1911-12 ...	16,318	28,220	11,741	11,741	851	...	1911-12
1912-13 ...							1912-13
1913-14 ...							1913-14
1914-15 ...							1914-15
1915-16 ...							1915-16
1916-17 ...							1916-17
1917-18 ...							1917-18
1918-19 ...							1918-19
1919-20 ...							1919-20
1920-21 ...							1920-21

(a) Includes Rs. 23 on account of refund adjustment during the year.  
 (b) " " 140 " " advance collection " "  
 (c) " " 64 " " refund adjustment " "  
 (d) " " 142 " " advance collection " "











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TABLE No. 10.—Forest

(This Table has been compiled from Forms Nos. 51 .

YEAR.	AREA OF GOVERNMENT FORESTS.				TIMBER AND DUCE REMOV FORESTS BY GEN	
	A. Class.	B. Class.		Unclassed.	Total.	Receipts.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
	Sq. miles.	Sq. miles.		Sq. miles.	Sq. miles.	Rs.
		BI	BII			
1903-04 ... ..	174	...	...	...	174	1,077
1904-05 ... ..	174	...	...	...	174	3,262
1905-06 ... ..	174	...	...	...	174	2,822
1906-07 ... ..	174	...	...	...	174	1,550
1907-08 ... ..	174	...	...	...	174	5,676
1908-09 ... ..	174	...	...	...	174	3,409
1909-10 ... ..	174	...	...	...	174	2,207
1910-11 ... ..	174	...	...	...	174	2,809
1911-12 ... ..	174	...	...	...	174	4,468
1912-13 ... ..						
1913-14 ... ..						
1914-15 ... ..						
1915-16 ... ..						
1916-17 ... ..						
1917-18 ... ..						
1918-19 ... ..						
1919-20 ... ..						
1920-21 ... ..						

## Area and Revenue.

and 71 appended to the Annual Forest Reports.)

OTHER PRO- ED FROM THE GOVERNMENT CY. ●	OTHER REVENUES.		FORMATION, PROTECTION AND IM- PROVEMENT OF FORESTS.	TOTAL.		YEAR.
	Receipts.	Charges.		Receipts.	Charges.	
8	9	10	11	12	13	14
Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	
1,552	6,145	1,742	1,452	7,222	4,746	1903-04
2,339	6,910	1,585	1,222	9,172	5,146	1904-05
2,454	7,405	1,138	1,993	10,227	5,575	1905-06
3,528	7,816	1,752	2,136	9,366	7,416	1906-07
5,637	8,040	2,390	3,615	13,716	11,642	1907-08
4,868	11,865	2,145	2,808	15,274	9,821	1908-09
2,921	10,520	2,206	2,865	12,727	7,992	1909-10
3,399	14,535	1,557	2,672	17,344	7,628	1910-11
1,394	15,925	4,721	1,513	20,388	7,628	1911-12
						1912-13
						1913-14
						1914-15
						1915-16
						1916-17
						1917-18
						1918-19
						1919-20
						1920-21











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TABLE No. 11.—Retail Prices (in seers per rupee)  
of the decade at the

(This table has been compiled from the

YEAR.	HEADQUARTERS					
	<i>District Staple Food</i>					
	January.	February.	March.	April.	May	June.
/ 1	2	3	4	5	6	7
1906 ... ..	12.50	11.25	11.87	11.87	12.15	12.60
1907 ... ..	13.90	12.51	13.20	12.51	11.87	11.12
1908 ... ..	8.75	8.65	8.60	8.30	8.40	8.35
1909 ... ..	10.78	11.45	11.58	11.32	10.78	11.05
1910 ... ..	12.29	12.85	13.26	11.45	11.71	11.32
1911 ... ..	14.1	14.1	14.1	14.1	13.47	12.93
1912 ... ..	11.86	11.86	11.86	11.86	12.97	9.70
1913 ... ..						
1914 ... ..						
1915 ... ..						
1916 ... ..						
1917 ... ..						
1918 ... ..						
1919 ... ..						
1920 ... ..						

**of the District Staple Food-grain for each month  
Head-quarters Town.**

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TOWN—DRUG.						Average for the year.	YEAR.
grain—Rice.							
July.	August.	September.	October.	November.	December.		
8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15
12.80	12	11	11	11.50	13.40	12.00	1906
11.87	11.87	10.50	9.43	8.89	8.62	11.35	1907
8.60	9.05	8.75	9.18	8.90	10.78	8.78	1908
11.32	11.17	11.85	12.39	12.40	12.39	11.40	1909
11.32	11.32	11.85	11.85	11.85	13.93	11.83	1910
12.66	12.39	11.86	11.61	10.56	11.39	12.77	1911
10.24	10.78	9.70	10.24	9.97	10.78	10.73	1912
							1913
							1914
							1915
							1916
							1917
							1918
							1919
							1920









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TABLE No. 12.—Wages (Monthly)

(This Table has been compiled from information

YEAR.	HEAD-QUARTERS				
	Retail Prices (Ders)				
	Wheat.	Juar.	Cotton.	Kodon or Kutki.	Linseed.
1	2	3	4	5	6
1906 ... ..	15.12	.....	.....	.....	9.56
1907 ... ..	9.56	.....	.....	.....	7.17
1908 ... ..	8.66	.. ..	.....	.....	7.36
1909 ... ..	10.30	.....	.....	.....	7.28
1910 ... ..	13.97	.....	.....	.....	5.66
1911 ... ..	16.04	.....	.. ..	.....	5.17
1912 ... ..	13.80	.....	.....	.....	7.80
1913 ... ..					
1914 ... ..					
1915 ... ..					
1916 ... ..					
1917 ... ..					
1918 ... ..					
1919 ... ..					
1920 ... ..					

**and Retail Prices (in seers per rupee).**  
furnished by the Deputy Commissioner.)

TOWN—DRUG.						YEAR.
per rupee).		Wages (Monthly).				
Gum.	Salt.	Able bodied agricultural labourer.	Common mason.	Common carpenter.	Common blacksmith.	
7	8	9	10	11	12	13
		Rs. a.	Rs. a.	Rs. a.	Rs. a.	
12-67	12-05	5 0	15 0	20 0	15 0	1906
10-0	16-25	6 0	20 0	25 0	15 0	1907
8-50	16-02	6 0	20 0	25 0	15 0	1908
12-33	16-79	5 0	15 0	20 0	15 0	1909
17-75	15-75	5 0	15 0	20 0	15 0	1910
18-91	15-56	6 0	15 0	25 0	15 0	1911
13-94	15-17	5 0	22 8	15 0	23 8	1912
						1913
						1914
						1915
						1916
						1917
						1918
						1919
						1920





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TABLE No. 13.—Railway Stations.

Name of Railway line.	Name of Railway station on each Railway line.	Distance of each station from Drug (in miles).	REMARKS.
1	2	3	4
Bengal-Nagpur Railway...	{ Drug	....	
	{ Bhilai	7	











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TABLE No. 14.—Roads maintained by the Public Works and Inspection Bungalows, and Encamping-groups

Class.	Name of Road.	Length (in miles).	FERRIES.	
			Name.	Distance from Drug (in miles) .
1	2	3	4	5
I	1. Drug Station Roads .. ...	4½	.....	...
	2. Drug-Dhamda-Deorbija-Bemetara first 5 miles .. ...	3½	.....	...
	3. Drug-Gunderdehi-Balod .. ...	36½	{ Phulgaon ... ..	2
			{ Gunderdehi ... ..	17
	4. Great Eastern Road (Khalsa Section)	17½	Mahamara ... ..	1½
IIA	5. Drug-Dhamda-Deorbija-Bemetara from mile 5 to 46½ .. ...	41½	{ Patharia ... ..	18 miles.
			{ Deokar ... ..	29 miles.
	6. Singa-Kawardha Khalsa Section...	29½	.....	...
	7. Khandsara-Khamaria ... ..	2½	.....	...
	8. Mungeli-Nandghat... ..	13½	Nandghat ... ..	64½
	9. Bilaspur-Raipur ... ..	11½	.....	...
	10. Kumbhari-Patharia ... ..	½	.....	...
	11. Drug Station Roads ... ..	3½	.....	...

**Department, and the District Council with Ferries, Dak  
on them. (List according to Road Scheme.)**

DAK OR INSPECTION BUNGALOWS.			ENCAMPING GROUNDS.		REMARKS.
Where situate.	Description.	Distance from Drug (in miles).	Name of place.	Distance from Drug (in miles).	
6	7	8	9	10	11
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
Drug ...	Dak Bungalow ...	4	.....	.....	1 mile merged in Station Road.
{ Gunderichi ...	Inspection Bungalow ...	17½	.....	.....	
{ Pairi ...	Do. Hut ...	25	.....	.....	
{ Balod ...	Do. Bungalow	36½	.....	.....	
.....	.....	.....	Bhilai ...	10 miles	Besides this 59 miles are in Nandgaon State, 3½ miles merged in the Station Road.
{ Kandia ...	Inspection Hut ...	13½	.....	.....	
{ Dhamda ...	Do. ...	21½	.....	.....	
{ Koliwa ...	Do. ...	33½	.....	.....	
{ Bemetara ...	Do. Bungalow	46½	.....	.....	
{ Bemetara ...	Inspection Bungalow ...	46½	.....	.....	
{ Kanhera ...	Do. Hut ...	57	.....	.....	
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
{ Nandghat ...	Inspection Hut ...	65	.....	.....	
{ Sambalpur ...	Do. ...	76	.....	.....	
Nandghat ...	Do. ...	65	.....	.....	
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Last 1½ miles from Kanhera are in complete.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	

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TABLE No. 14.—Roads maintained by the Public Works  
and Inspection Bungalows, and Encamping-grounds

Class.	Name of Road.	Length (in miles).	FERRIES.	
			Name.	Distance from Drug (in miles).
1	2	3	4	5
	12. Dhamtari-Jagdulpur (Khalsa Sec- tion) ... ..	14½	.....	...
	13. Dhamtari-Muramgaon up to Kus- sam Kasa ... ..	31½	.....	...
	14. Drug-Newai-Utal ... ..	8	.....	...
	15. Raj-Nandgaon Arjunda (Gunder- dehi Khalsa Sectoia ... ..	13½	.....	...
	16. Raj-Nandgaon Deokar (Khalsa Sec- tion) ... ..	16½	.....	...
11B	17. Raj-Nandgaon-Chauki-Manpur from Gupsal to Mohali in Ambagarh and Panabaras Zamindaris ...	20½	Ambagarh chauki ... ..	51
	18. Bhatapara Chandkhuri ... ..	3½	.....	...
	19. Dhamtari-Muramgaon from the old border of Chanda District to end of 26½ mile ... ..	26½	.....	...

Department, and the District Council with Ferries, Dak  
or them. (List according to Road Scheme)—*continued.*

DAK OR INSPECTION BUNGALOWS.			ENCAMPING-GROUNDS.		REMARKS.
Where situate.	Description.	Distance from Drug (in miles).	Name of place.	Distance from Drug (in miles.)	
6	7	8	9	10	11
Jagtara ... ..	Inspection Hut ...	58½	.....	.....	First 5½ miles merged in the Dham-tar-i-Jagdalpur Road.
{ Gurur ... ..	Do. ...	47½	.....	.....	
{ Balod ... ..	Do. Bungalow	36½	.....	.....	
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
Gunderdehi ...	Inspection Bunga- low.	17½	.....	.....	Besides this 7 miles in Nandgaon State.
Ghota ... ..	Inspection Hut ...	34½	.....	...	
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Besides this 27 miles are in Raj-Nandgaon State.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	

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TABLE No. 14.—Other local Roads and Ferries maintained  
by the District Council—(continued).

No.	ROADS.	Length (in miles).	FERRIES.	River which is crossed.
	Name.		Place where situate.	
1	2	3	4	5
			Amli ... ..	Tandula.
			Balodi ... ..	Seonath.
			Bhothli ... ..	Do.
			Changori ... ..	Do.
			Jhenjhri ... ..	Do.
			Nagpura ... ..	Do.
			Nankathi ... ..	Do.
			Pendri ... ..	Do.
			Piperehbeli ... ..	Do.
			Thakurnai Tola ... ..	Khar k h a r a
				Nala.
			Tohdi ... ..	Seonath.
			Ghatoli ... ..	Do.
			Manglor ... ..	Do.
			Bagod ... ..	Do.
			Amora ... ..	Do.
			Takam ... ..	Do.
			Sewar ... ..	Do.
			Singdehi ... ..	Do.
			Tuma ... ..	Do.
			Mungwai ... ..	Haf River.*
			Tora ... ..	Do.
			Andhiarkhor ... ..	Do.
			Gopal Bhaona ... ..	Do.
			Makda ... ..	Do.
			Arkar ... ..	Karnu river.
			Rudgaon ... ..	Sheonata.

\* Ferry is 3 miles from Magarghata lies between Torna and Barbaspur.

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TABLE No. 14—Irrigation Works, 1910-11—(concluded).

WORKS SUPPLYING IRRIGATION.		Culturable area commanded by the irrigation works in column 2 (in acres.)	REMARKS.
No.	Name.		
1	2	3	4
<i>Protective Irrigation Works.</i>			
1	Marowda ... ..	8,054	
2	Khapri ... ..	18,453	
3	Hargahan ... ..	5,758	
<i>Minor Works and Navigation.</i>			
4	Darritola ... ..	7,070	
5	Other tanks ... ..	10,109	
Total ...		49,444	









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## TABLE No. 15.—Post and Telegraph Offices.

(This Table has been compiled from information furnished by the Post Master General, Central Circle.)

Distributing and collecting centres, Head Offices.	Distributing and collecting centres, Sub-Offices.	Branch Offices.	Remarks showing how each Branch Office is served.
1	2	3	4
	Balod ... ..	Gurur ... ..	Served through runner's line.
	Bemetara ... ..	Dasrangpur ... .. Dadhi ... .. Nawagarh ... ..	Served through Mungeli Sub-Office with which they are connected by runner's line.
	Chhuikhadan ... ..	Gandal Pandaria ... .. Sahaspur Lohara ... .. Silhati ... ..	These offices are in direct mail communication with Chhuikhadan Sub-Office, with which they are in account.
		Adamabad ... .. Anda ... .. Arjunda ... .. Berla ... .. Bhatagaon ... .. Bhilai ... .. Dhanda ... .. Deokar ... .. Gunderdehi ... .. Jangaon ... .. Mohagaon ... .. Nandkathi ... .. Newai ... .. Parpodi ... .. Patan ... .. Ranchirai ... .. Saja ... .. Tatra ... .. Ambagarh-Chauki ... .. Dondi-Lohara ... ..	These offices are served through runner's line by Drug Sub-Office Bhilai is on the B.-M. Railway line, and is in account with Drug Sub-Office.
Drug		Manpur ... .. Mohalla ... .. Pinkapur ... .. Aundhi ... .. Dondi ... .. Khujji ... .. Maro ... .. Baitalpur ... .. Arkar ... ..	Served through Raj-Nandgaon Sub-Office.  Served through Bhatapara Sub-Office. Served through Dhamtari Sub-Office.







### Telegraph Offices—(concluded).

Name.	Class.	REMARKS.
Drug     ...     ...     ...	III     ...     ...	Raj Nandgaon, Dongargarh, Khairagarh, Kawartha, Chhuikhadan and Drug are Telegraph offices for communication with all Zamindaris and Branch offices.
Sanjari (Balel)     ...     ...	III     ...     ...	Opened from 1st November 1911.









• (This Table has been taken from information furnished by the District Superintendent of Police.)

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TABLE No. 17.—Criminal Justice.

(This Table has been taken from information furnished by the District Superintendent of Police.)

YEAR.	COGNIZABLE CRIME.						NON-COGNIZABLE CRIME.				YEAR.
	Cases reported.	Cases investigated.	Cases sent up for trial.	Persons tried.	Persons acquitted or discharged.	Persons convicted.	Total cases for disposal.	(a) Cases dismissed without trial.	Cases ending in discharge or acquittal.	Cases ending in conviction.	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
1906 ... ..	724	425	265	373	76	270	86	2	32	24	1906
1907 ... ..	694	445	256	348	65	245	206	63	73	68	1907
1908 ... ..	949	555	331	527	129	834	290	56	106	108	1908
1909 ... ..	769	431	316	450	151	290	367	55	75	123	1909
1910 ... ..	702	385	269	373	87	263	272	81	97	79	1910
1911 ... ..	601	377	224	272	78	166	289	4	176	75	1911
1912 ... ..	885	488	260	475	277	130	472	18	165	117	1912
1913 ... ..											1913
1914 ... ..											1914
1915 ... ..											1915
1916 ... ..											1916
1917 ... ..											1917
1918 ... ..											1918
1919 ... ..											1919
1920 ... ..											1920

(a) Includes cases compromised.









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## TABLE No. 18.—Civil and Revenue Business.

(This Table has been compiled from information furnished by the District Judge.)

YEAR.	CIVIL SUITS.				Number of suits between landlord and tenant.	YEAR.
	SUB-DIVISIONAL COURTS.		DISTRICT COURTS.			
	Number of suits instituted.	Average value.	Number of suits instituted.	Average value.		
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
		Rs.		Rs.		
1906 ...	1,899	46	197	758	800	1906
1907 ...	1,806	33	298	606	245	1907
1908 ...	1,897	63	83	2,487	241	1908
1909 ...	393	(a) (b) 32	2,108	(a) (b) 57	393	1909
1910 ...	371	(c) 11,970	1,760	(c) 1,00,820	371	1910
1911 ...	1,108	83	1,400	39	343	1911
1912 ...	966	•	1,195	•	147	1912
1913 ...						1913
1914 ...						1914
1915 ...						1915
1916 ...						1916
1917 ...						1917
1918 ...						1918
1919 ...						1919
1920 ...						1920

(a) Figures not available. (b) Shows average value. (c) Shows whole value.  
 • Average value not furnished by the District Judge as the ledgers have been destroyed.







**TABLE No. 19.—Land Revenue and Cesses (Total of all kinds of Land Revenue).**

(This Table is compiled from information supplied by the Deputy Commissioner.)

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TABLE No. 20.—

(This Table has been taken from Imperial

YEAR.	RECEIPTS						
	Imported liquors.	COUNTRY SPIRITS AND FERMENTED LIQUORS. ●					
		Duty.	Vend fees.	Outstill receipts	Total country spirits.	Tari license fees.	Total country spirits and fermented liquors.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
1906-07 ... ..	155	.....	.....	15,481	15,481	.....	15,481
1907-08 ... ..	120	.....	.....	11,587	11,587	.....	11,587
1908-09 ... ..	245	.....	.....	25,198	25,198	.....	25,198
1909-10 ... ..	205	.....	.....	18,008	18,008	.....	18,008
1910-11 ... ..	200	.....	.....	10,798	10,798	.....	10,798
1911-12 ... ..	200	5,870	16,516	21,963	44,349	.....	44,349
1912-13 ... ..							
1913-14 ... ..							
1914-15 ... ..							
1915-16 ... ..							
1916-17 ... ..							
1917-18 ... ..							
1918-19 ... ..							
1919-20 ... ..							
1920-21 ... ..							

(a) Excludes Zamindari.

Takalis and Miscellaneous Revenue.

**Excise (a).**

Form I attached to Excise Administration Report.)

FROM—						YEAR.
OPIUM.			GANJA AND BHANG.			
Duty.	License fees.	Total.	Duty.	License fees.	Total.	
9	10	11	12	13	14	15
57,736	12,962	70,698	10,039	3,361	13,400	1906-07
59,550	12,591	72,141	9,910	3,403	13,313	1907-08
55,341	20,835	76,176	5,971	5,415	11,386	1908-09
56,564	22,905	79,469	4,301	6,583	10,884	1909-10
67,074	22,692	89,766	4,031	7,483	11,514	1910-11
76,119	32,557	1,08,676	5,378	8,105	13,483	1911-12
						1912-13
						1913-14
						1914-15
						1915-16
						1916-17
						1917-18
						1918-19
						1919-20
						1920-21







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TABLE No. 21.—Income-tax.

(This Table has been compiled from information furnished by the Deputy Commissioner.)

YEAR.	(a) Total receipts.	RECEIPTS FROM—					OBJECTIONS UNDER PART IV.		YEAR.
		Paid by Com- panies.	OTHER SOURCES, PART IV.				Number filed.	Amount remit- ted.	
			Number of assessee under Rs.2,000.	Tax.	Number of assessee over Rs.2,000.	Tax.			
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
	Rs.			Rs.		Rs.		R	
1906-07	2,556	...	58	1,873	10	1,056	20	131	1906-07
1907-08	3,700	...	92	2,250	13	1,310	22	114	1907-08
1908-09	8,640	...	98	2,236	14	1,362	8	107	1908-09
1909-10	8,803	...	103	2,548	10	1,081	3	20	1909-10
1910-11	(b) 8,615	...	106	2,643	12	1,144	5	20	1910-11
1911-12	3,621	...	111	3,682	12	1,089	15	178	1911-12
1912-13	...								1912-13
1913-14	...								1913-14
1914-15	...								1914-15
1915-16	...								1914-16
1916-17	...								1916-17
1917-18	...								1917-18
1918-19	...								1918-19
1919-20	...								1919-20
1920-21	...								1920-21

(a) The figures in this column show district collections and exclude salaries paid by Government, etc.

(b) Includes Rs. 20 on account of refund.









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TABLE No. 22.—General Revenue Statistics.

(This Table has been compiled from the Departmental Annual Reports.)

YEAR.	TOTAL RECEIPTS FROM :—							YEAR.
	Land Revenue.	Cesses.	Stamps.	Excise.	Income-tax.	Forests.	Registration.	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	
1905-06 ...	4,51,083	27,968	6,664	30,375	...	10,227	...	1905-06
1906-07 ...	4,73,391	29,534	30,547	1,03,969	2,445	9,866	3,116	1906-07
1907-08 ...	3,22,008	25,850	36,448	1,01,954	3,771	18,712	3,463	1907-08
1908-09 ...	4,85,850	36,991	40,581	1,17,904	3,930	15,274	4,270	1908-09
1909-10 ...	5,16,393	(a) 31,688	33,429	1,13,958	4,693	12,728	4,906	1909-10
1910-11 ...	5,95,446	(b) 37,125	32,135	1,39,486	3,757	17,321	4,129	1910-11
1911-12 ...	6,30,909	40,039	40,202	1,56,804	3,894	20,388	4,478	1911-12
1912-13 ...								1912-13
1913-14 ...								1913-14
1914-15 ...								1914-15
1915-16 ...								1915-16
1916-17 ...								1916-17
1917-18 ...								1917-18
1918-19 ...								1918-19
1919-20 ...								1919-20
1920-21 ...								1920-21

(a) Includes Rs. 2 on account of receipt of Cesses from Ryotwari village in the District and excludes Rs. 11-4-7 on account of advance collections during the year.

(b) Includes Rs. 2 on account of receipt of Cesses from Ryotwari village in the District and excludes Rs. 22-7-6, on account of advance collections during the year.











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TABLE No. 23.—Income and Expendi  
(This Table has been taken from Statements

YEAR.	INCOME.							
	Local rates.	Receipts under Cattle Trespass Act.	Education receipts.	Rents on Nazul lands.	Ferries.	Contributions.	Other receipts.	Total receipts.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
1906-07	28,881	13,724	261	102	1,138	29,553	450	74,109
1907-08	28,742	15,769	124	23	1,433	29,553	1,013	76,657
1908-09	28,148	15,746	22,042	64	1,886	.....	10,952	78,338
1909-10	35,735	15,061	22,066	50	1,848	.....	11,761	86,521
1910-11	32,398	16,460	22,097	70	1,762	.....	10,937	82,724
1911-12	40,832	17,468	23,184	123	1,911	.....	12,609	96,126
1912-13	...							
1913-14	...							
1914-15	...							
1915-16	...							
1916-17	...							
1917-18	...							
1918-19	...							
1919-20	...							
1920-21	...							











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**DRUG NOTIFIED AREA COMMITTEE.**

**TABLE No. 24.—Income and**

(This Table has been taken from Statements II

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**Expenditure of Municipalities.**  
and III attached to the Municipal Reports.)

and III attached to the Municipal Report.

EXPENDITURE.															YEAR.
General administration.	Collection of taxes.	Refunds.	Lighting.	Water-supply.	Drainage.	Conservancy.	Medical and vaccination.	Markets and slaughter houses.	Roads.	Education.	Repayment of loans.	Other expenditure.	Total expenditure.		
14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	
Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.		
120	7	6	...	75	...	1,577	316	161	180	...	...	496	2,888	1906-07	
352	24	1	...	112	3,329	4,092	926	431	1,172	...	...	529	10,966	1907-08	
547	76	..	150	2,174	...	5,323	312	1,023	1,219	...	...	770	11,594	1908-09	
567	99	26	342	3	450	2,950	229	1,558	1,583	...	...	5,642	13,449	1909-10	
1,093	81	8	426	67	104	3,169	140	4,247	3,127	...	124	7,891	20,472	1910-11	
1,172	84	320	355	49	...	3,323	350	1,747	1,083	...	321	4,975	14,569	1911-12	
														1912-13	
														1913-14	
														1914-15	
														1915-16	
														1916-17	
														1917-18	
														1918-19	
														1919-20	
														1920-21	









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**TABLE No. 25.—Education—Literacy ( with figures of Religion.)**  
 (This Table has been compiled from Census Imperial Table VIII.)

RELIGION.	POPULATION.			LITERATE.			PERCENTAGE OF LITERATE ON TOTAL POPULATION.		
	Persons.	Males.	Females.	Persons.	Males.	Females.	Persons.	Males.	Females.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
Hindu ... ..	674,376	324,328	350,048	12,101	11,838	263	1.79	3.65	0.08
Animist ... ..	92,108	44,144	47,962	260	259	1	0.28	0.59	...
Musliman ... ..	6,982	3,478	3,504	886	841	45	12.69	24.16	1.28
Christian ... ..	1,359	687	672	325	203	122	23.91	29.55	18.15
Jain ... ..	793	477	316	323	310	13	40.61	64.96	3.80
Others ... ..	72	45	27	38	37	1	52.78	82.22	8.70
Total ... ..	775,688	373,169	402,529	13,922	13,488	444	1.80	3.61	0.11











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TABLE No. 26.—Education—

(This Table has been compiled from information supplied.)

YEAR.	SECONDARY EDUCATION.			PRIMARY EDUCATION.			EXPENDI	
	Schools and Col- leges.	SCHOLARS.		Schools.	SCHOLARS.		Provincial funds.	Local funds.
		Average daily attendance.			Average daily attendance.			
		Male.	Female.		Male.	Female.		
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
							Rs.	Rs
1906-06 ... ..	1	170	...	96	5,315	4	...	882
1906-07 ... ..	1	15	...	98	6,698	50	291	82,614
1907-08 ... ..	1	30	...	107	7,910	90	1,997	80,801
1908-09 ... ..	1	73	...	114	7,710	190	3,290	33,733
1909-10 ... ..	1	105	...	114	8,943	227	3,786	36,223
1910-11 ... ..	1	107	...	114	8,704	218	3,750	36,000
1911-12 ... ..	1	98	...	114	8,960	280	1,923	39,390
1912-13 ... ..								
1913-14 ... ..								
1914-15 ... ..								
1915-16 ... ..								
1916-17 ... ..								
1917-18 ... ..								
1918-19 ... ..								
1919-20 ... ..								
1920-21 ... ..								

# Number of Public Institutions and Scholars.

by the Inspector of Schools, Chhattisgarh Circle.)

EXPENDITURE ON EDUCATION.			EXPENDITURE ON		Percentage of male scholars (Public and Private) to male population of school-going age.	Percentage of female scholars (Public and Private) to female population of school-going age.	YEAR.
Fees.	Other sources.	Total.	Primary Education.	Secondary Education.			
10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17
Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.			
..	...	882	882	...	.....	.....	1905-06
...	...	32,805	32,127	678	.....	.....	1906-07
149	...	32,887	31,466	1,421	.....	.....	1907-08
479	...	37,502	35,140	2,362	.....	.....	1908-09
647	4	40,660	37,886	2,774	.....	.....	1909-10
719	8	40,472	37,461	3,011	.....	.....	1910-11
...	...	41,313	40,468	845	18.42	4.66	1911-12
							1912-13
							1913-14
							1914-15
							1915-16
							1916-17
							1917-18
							1918-19
							1919-20
							1920-21

## Drug District.

TABLE No. 26.—Education—

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YEAR.	SECONDARY EDUCATION.			PRIMARY EDUCATION.			
	Schools and Col- leges.	SCHOLARS.		Schools.	SCHOLARS.		
		Average daily attendance.			Average daily attendance.		
		Male.	Female.		Male.	Female.	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	
1905-06	...	...	...	3	78	4	
1906-07	...	1	68	...	2	10	43
1907-08	...	1	68	...	2	11	40
1908-09	...	2	80	...	3	87	25
1909-10	...	4	126	49	4	112	42
1910-11	...	3	84	46	7	221	67
1911-12	...	2	68	40	8	205	82
1912-13	...						
1913-14	...						
1914-15	...						
1915-16	...						
1916-17	...						
1917-18	...						
1918-19	...						
1919-20	...						
1920-21	...						

# Number of Private Institutions and Scholars—(continued).

by the Inspector of Schools, Chhattisgarh Circle.)

Subscription.	EXPENDITURE ON EDUCATION.					EXPENDITURE ON		YEAR.
	Provincial funds.	Local funds.	Fees.	Other sources.	Total.	Primary Education.	Secondary Education.	
8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16
Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	
...	510	...	...	800	1,310	1,810	...	1905-06
...	650	...	...	976	1,626	728	898	1906-07
...	650	...	...	1,051	1,701	809	898	1907-08
...	650	...	82	2,116	2,798	1,029	1,769	1908-09
...	789	...	160	2,170	3,069	904	2,165	1909-10
...	1,025	78	43	2,276	3,417	1,688	1,729	1910-11
808	914	78	161	2,161	3,602	1,963	1,639	1911-12
								1912-13
								1913-14
								1914-15
								1915-16
								1916-17
								1917-18
								1918-19
								1919-20
								1920-21

\* Includes subscription.











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TABLE No. 27.—

(This Table has been taken from Statements B &amp; H .

DISPENSARIES.				DRUG.		BEMETABA.		BALOD.		GANDAI.	
NUMBER OF BEDS AVAILABLE.				12		...		...		...	
YEAR.				DAILY AVERAGE.		DAILY AVERAGE.		DAILY AVERAGE.		DAILY AVERAGE.	
				Indoor patients.	Outdoor patients.	Indoor patients.	Outdoor patients.	Indoor patients.	Outdoor patients.	Indoor patients.	Outdoor patients.
1				2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
1906	...	...	...	5-86	86-33	...	23-55	...	26-40	...	26-60
1907	...	...	...	3-70	68-64	...	25-06	...	36-44	...	30-43
1908	...	...	...	4-88	70-62	...	25-06	...	31-64	...	28-00
1909	...	...	...	5-24	80-27	...	25-26	...	31-55	...	23-55
1910	...	...	...	4-85	64-35	...	30-54	...	30-06	...	24-76
1911	...	...	...	9-03	69-91	...	30-25	22	33-99	...	21-59
1912	...	...	...	13-68	56-27	1-03	26-66	2-59	33-91	...	23-85
1913	...	...	...								
1914	...	...	...								
1915	...	...	...								
1916	...	...	...								
1917	...	...	...								
1918	...	...	...								
1919	...	...	...								
1920	...	...	...								











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## TABLE No. 28.—Vaccination.

(This Table has been compiled from Statements I and III attached to Vaccination Reports and Statements I and IV attached to Sanitary Reports.)

YEAR.	SUCCESSFUL PRIMARY VACCINATIONS.		Per thousand of population (a).	Number of children born less number dying under one year of age.	Proportion of column 2 on column 5.	Successful re-vaccinations.	YEAR.
	Under one year.	Others.					
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
1905-06	12,559	4,011	27.94	.....	...	244	1905-06
1906-07	14,968	4,012	20.17	21,794	68.67	1,904	1906-07
1907-08	17,720	5,384	24.68	22,698	74.73	1,086	1907-08
1908-09	19,108	5,952	27.04	24,668	77.44	461	1908-09
1909-10	22,853	8,998	29.69	29,287	78.63	854	1909-10
1910-11	22,930	4,504	40.55	27,517	83.53	571	1910-11
1911-12	22,549	4,626	26.99	29,726	75.85	1,571	1911-12
1912-13							1912-13
1913-14							1913-14
1914-15							1914-15
1915-16							1915-16
1916-17							1916-17
1917-18							1917-18
1918-19							1918-19
1919-20							1919-20
1920-21							1920-21

(a) Calculated on population as found at the Census.









Name of Localities.	Adambad.	Ahware V.	Aranda V.	Arjundah P. B.	Balod T.	Barbaspur Z.	Bemetara T.	Berla P. B.	Bhila P. B.	Bhimtoli V.	Chakikhadan Z.	Chicholi F. V.	Dalli V.	Deokar V.	Deorbija V.	Deori V.
Adambad ...	69	27	25	2	83	83	79	79	73	73	66	40	39	64	73	23
		G.	G. B. 2.		G. 2.	D.	D.				G. 2.	N.	L.	D.	D. B. 2.	
Ahware ...	83	46	57	87	87	87	11	11	13	13	44	63	77	18	26	84
				D.	D.	D.					M. C.				D.	
Aranda ...	9	33	56	56	56	56	53	16	45	45	65	50	52	36	46	40
		G.	G.	D.	D.	D.		D.			M. C.	M. C.	G.			N.
Arjundah ...	23	65	70	66	66	66	66	66	66	66	48	41	50	51	60	34
		G.	G.	G.	G.	G.	G.	G.	G.	G.	N.	M. C.	B. 2. G.	D. G.	D. G.	
Balod ...	81	80	77	64	70	64	70	64	64	64	64	44	37	63	71	21
	G. 2.	D.	D.		D.	D.		D.			G. 2.	N.	L.	D.	D.	
Barbaspur ...	36	36	47	60	16	59	16	59	16	59	59	59	99	33	42	68
		D.	D.	G. 2.				D.	G. 2.		16	G. 2. C.		D.	D. G. 2.	G. N. 2.
Bemetara ...	15	49	40	43	43	43	43	43	43	43	43	101	102	30	10	78
	D.	D.	D.	G. 2.	G. 2.	G. 2.	G. 2.	G. 2.	G. 2.	G. 2.	G. 2.	G. M.	D.			D.
Berla ...	23	12	55	84	96	13	16	74			84	D. M. C.	96	13	16	D.
			G. 2.	D. M. C.							G. 2.	D. M. C.				
Bhila ...	46	66	83	66	29	47	41				66	M. C.	N.	D.		N.
	A.	D. G. 2.	N. C.	N.							D. G. 2.	N. C.	N.			
Bhimtoli ...	106	77	91	34	26	67					106	N. A.	A.	34	26	67
	N.	N. A.	N. A.	A.	A.	N.					N.	N. A.	A.	A.	N.	N.
Chakikhadan ...	42	69	41	51	45						42	C.		D.	D. G. 2.	N.
Chicholi ...	84	71	76	40							84	N. C.	N.	D. M.	N. C.	
Dalli ...	88	93	25								88			D. M.	L.	
Deokar ...	9	59														
		D.														
Deorbija ...	68															
	D. N.															
Deori ...																

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TABLE No. 30.—Local Weights and Measures.

*Grain Measures :—*

One Pohai	...	...	= $4\frac{9}{16}$ Chhataks.
One Adhelia	...	...	= 2 Pohais or $9\frac{1}{4}$ Chhataks.
One Chauthia	...	...	= 4 Pohais or 2 Adheliars = $18\frac{1}{4}$ Chhataks.
One Katha	...	...	= 4 Chauthias or 4 Seers 9 Chhataks.
One Khandi	...	...	= 20 Kathas.
One Gada	...	...	= 20 Khandis.

*Miscellaneous —*

A Nagar or Plough of land is as much as two buffaloes and two bullocks can cultivate and amounts to 20 to 25 acres.

A Pao of land is a quarter of a Nagar.

An acre of land takes 12 Kathas (or 56 seers) of rice as seed grain.

NOTE.—(1) In Gangai and Utai, a five seers Katha is used, at Gangai without a Kangan and at Utai with a Kangan of one seer.

(2) A seer of 80 Tolas is current throughout the District.









## APPENDIX.

*Note to Supplement, correct or enlarge the information contained in the A Volume, "Gazetteer of the Drug District."*

Add at the end of the para.—

- "People have commenced to take up their residence in the  
● Koracha and Aundhi Zamindaris."

Chapter 2.  
Page 4, para. 3.  
The South Western  
Zamindaris.

Add at the end—

Padam Singh Muafidar of Wararbandh Estate has died and  
has been succeeded by his brother Kalandar Singh.

Page 65, para. 58.

Add at the end of the para.—

"With a view to improve the breed of cattle, a farm has been  
opened at Mohalla in the Panabaras Zamindari, and a foidler  
farm also started at the same place. Similar farms are  
maintained at Gandai and Thakurtola."

Chapter IV.  
Page 88, para. 89.  
Cattle breeds.

Add as fresh para. after para. 98 on page 96—

## CO-OPERATIVE CREDIT SOCIETIES.

In September 1911, sixteen rural societies were registered with a Central Bank at the District Headquarters. The members of the various Rural Societies are mostly tenants. The Societies realise interest at Rs. 1 per cent. per month out of which annas 12 per cent. per month is paid to the Central Bank and the balance forms a reserve fund of the Societies. Each Society is managed by a Sir-Panch and a Secretary under the control and supervision of the Directors of the Central Bank. The share capital of the bank is Rs. 10,000; the value of each share is Rs. 5. The Bank receives fixed deposits at annas 8 per cent. per month. The working capital of the Bank on the 30th September 1912 was Rs. 18,481-1-0, namely, Rs. 7,910 in shares and Rs. 10,540 in deposits. The number of Rural Societies has now risen to 36 with 605 members. The staff of the Bank consists of a clerk and a peon and works under the immediate supervision of the Honorary Secretary, Mr. N. K. Chaudheri, B.L.

## COMMUNICATIONS.

## Chapter V.

Page 110, para. 111.

Railway and roads  
north of the Railway.

Line 1.—Insert full-stop after the word "extent" and omit the words "though it has now only a gravelled surface."

Line 7.—After the word "gravelled" insert "and metalled in places."

Line 18.—After the words "thence to" insert "Bhatapara and."

Lines 27-29.—The sentence beginning with "A new link" and ending with "Raj-Nandgaon" be omitted.

Para. 112, page 110.

Line 3.—After the word "Balod" add "and is now all installed. It is a very important road for the Irrigation works at Balod." Also omit the sentence beginning with "The section to" and ending with "in class."

Para. 112, page 111.

Line 8.—After the words "taken to Raj-Nandgaon" add "both these roads are in charge of the Chhattisgarh States Division."

Line 10.—For "Balod" read "Kusum" and after the word "connecting" read "the tahsil headquarters at Balod with Dhamtari."

Line 17.—Between the words "a" and "road" insert the word "surface."

Para. 118, page 111.

Line 21.—For "9½" read "8"

For "10½" read "65½", for "304" read "322½",  
for "three" read "four" and for "Rs. 42,000"  
read "Rs. 43,241."

## Chapter VI.

Page 118, para. 115.

Private Forests.

After the word "Sal-Forest" in line 5 on page 113 add the following :—

An improved system for the working of the forest in the Panabaras Zamindari has been adopted since the year 1909-10.

An attempt is being made to propagate lac on Kusum (*Schleichera trijuga*) and other trees in the Panabaras and Koracha Zamindaris. Trees have been distributed among the cultivators, who rear the insects and pay a duty per tree.

## ARBORICULTURE.

For the first two sentences substitute the following :—

Para. 116, page 118.

“The length of roads in charge of the Public Works Department is 292 $\frac{3}{4}$  miles, of which road-side avenues exist on a length of 47 $\frac{3}{16}$  miles only, 14 $\frac{1}{2}$  miles on the Great Eastern Road, and 15 $\frac{1}{4}$  miles on the Drug-Dhamda Road. The remaining 171  $\frac{9}{16}$  miles are mostly made up by short lengths of avenues which exist on the Singa-Kawardha, Kharesara-Khamria, Drug-Gunderdehi-Balod, Rajnandgaon-Antagarh and Drug Station Roads.

*Line 15.*—After the words “Dhamda-Gandai road” add “which is in charge of the Chhattisgarh States Division.”

*Line 1.*—After the word “Drug-Gunderdehi road” add “But these have now been closed and a new nursery opened at the Phulgaon Nallah on the 2nd mile of the Drug-Gunderdehi road. A large number of trees have been planted on the Drug-Gunderdehi-Balod, Drug-Utai, Drug-Dhamda and the branch roads in Drug Civil Station. The increasing number of gaps in the splendid avenue on the Great Eastern Road have not yet been taken in hand.”

Page 114.

*Line 3.*—After “1906-07” add “It has now increased to Rs. 1,900, provision being made for planting trees on the following roads :—

Drug-Gunderdehi-Balod, Drug-Utai, Drug-Dhamda and approach roads to the Deputy Commissioner's bungalow.

*Line 2.*—For the sentence commencing with “Drug” and ending with “Division” substitute “Drug is the Headquarters of the Sub-Division of the Public Works Department, Eastern Division.”

Para. 123, page 123.

Supplement the following :—

The District Arboriculture scheme was sanctioned by the Director of Agriculture in 1909-10. In 1911-12 the three Local Boards planted 350 trees on Bazar sites and 260 trees have been planted by private persons on Bazar sites in the Bemetara and Sanjari Tahsils. At present no roads are in

Page 114, para. 116  
Clause 2,  
Arboriculture.

charge of the District Council, so no avenues have been planted by that body. The fine avenue on the Great Eastern Road is thinning rapidly and the Public Works Department, in whose charge the road is, have been asked to fill in the gaps with young trees.

Page 121, para. 123.

Add after the full stop in line 26 —

The Zamindar of Khujji has ceased to be Honorary Magistrate and the Zamindar of Dondi Lohara has been appointed in his place. Some Officers of the Irrigation Department have been invested with third class magisterial powers and appointed Honorary Magistrate to deal with cases under the Workman's Breach of Contract Act.

Do. last sentence.

The Irrigation Division previously known as the "Mahanadi Division" is now called "The Karun Irrigation Division." A New Division called the "Mahanadi Division" has been started.

Do. 3rd sentence

The words "and District Registrar" be deleted.

Add at the end.—

Chapter VIII.

Page 122, para. 124.  
Land Record Staff.

In addition to 396 Patwaris, 7 paid Patwari candidates are entertained on Rs. 10 per month each to fill leave and other vacancies as they occur. The minimum remuneration of a Patwari is now Rs. 120 per annum. Deserving Patwaris now receive a good conduct allowance of Rs. 2 per month in lieu of a reward in cash.

Page 122, para. 125.  
Crime and litigation.

Important offences against property are confined practically to the North Eastern Station Houses which border on the Raipur and Bilaspur Districts. The average number of offences against property in the district was 566 for the three years ending with 1911. There is little or no professional crime.

Page 120, para. 120.  
Registration.

Under the orders contained in *Central Province Gazette* Notification No. 2016, dated the 23rd September 1910, the charge of the office of the District Registrar has been transferred from the Deputy Commissioner to the Treasury Officer.

Supplement the following :—

- The Madras contract supply system replaced the Sadar Distillery system on the 1st April 1912. It extends throughout the Drng Tahsil, the Khalsa portion of the Bemelara and Sanjari Tahsils and to the Dondi-Lohara and Khujji Zamindaris. The outstill system still remains in the Gandai, Barbaspur, Silheti, Sahaspur-Lohara, Thakurtola, Ambagarh Chowki, Koracha, Panabaras cum Aundhi Zamindaris. The contract supply system covers an area of 3,209 square miles and the outstill system 1,509 square miles. There are now only 59 outstills with 36 subordinate shops in the District. The number of contract supply shops is 91 and combined stills and shops are 95. There is a shop to every 25·3 square miles and every 4,174 persons. Para. 124, page 124.  
Excise.

The duty and cost-price on opium was raised from Rs. 23-8-0 to Rs. 27-8-0 per seer from the 1st April 1912. There are 66 opium shops in the District. The revenue from license fees amounted to Rs. 32,557 and from cost price and duty on opium to Rs. 76,118 in 1911-12. Para. 123, page 126.  
Opium.

Wholesale vendors supply Ganja to retail vendors on an average sale price of Rs. 12 per seer and retail vendors sell to the public at Rs. 15 to Rs. 20 per seer or Rs. 0-3-0 to Rs. 0-4-0 a tola. Ganja shops have increased to 58 since 1908-09 which gives one shop to 81·3 square miles. The license fees increased to Rs. 8,081 in 1911-12, while receipts on account of duty fell from Rs. 5,929 in 1908-09 to Rs. 5,378 in 1911-12. Duty on ganja has been raised from Rs. 6-0-0 to Rs. 7-8-0 per seer. The seven Zamindaris (Gandai, Barbaspur, Silheti, Sahaspur-Lohara, Thakurtola, Gunderdehi and Dondi Lohara), of which the Zamindars were the farmers of the Excise Revenue, are now directly managed by Government. Para. 120, page 124.  
Ganja.

The number of Executive Sub-Inspectors has been reduced by one, but three additional Sub-Inspectors are in charge of



**Warehouses.** A temporary Inspector of Exoisc on Rs. 100 per month is in charge of the District under the orders of the Deputy Commissioner.

Add at the end.—

Para. 181, page 126.  
District Council and  
Local Boards.

A Divisional Local Fund Engineer has been appointed with effect from the 1st April 1912 for the supervision of works constructed at the expense of the Local bodies.

Add at the end of para. 132—

Para. 132, page 126.  
Municipalities.

Further grants of Rs. 10,000 and Rs. 5,800 were made in 1911-12 and 1912-13 respectively. The sanction of the Local Administration has also been accorded to a grant of Rs. 4,800 in each of the two following years.

Supplement the following for this para.—

Para. 133, page 127.  
Village Sanitation.

The Village Sanitation Act was extended in 1911 to Balod in the Sanjari Tahsil and to Bemetara and Pikri in the Bemetara Tahsil. The villages under the Mukaddam Rules framed under the C. P. Land Revenue Act are Dhamda, Patan, Arjunda, Bhilai and Gunderdehi in the Drug Tahsil, Ambagarh Chowki in the Sanjari Tahsil and Darhi, Deokar and Nawagarh in the Bemetara Tahsil.

Substitute the following for this para.—

Para. 134, page 127.

The value of the Buildings borne on the books of the Public Works Department in the District is Rs. 6,61,553 and annual maintenance charges amount to Rs. 6,914. The Buildings were constructed at the formation of the District, but since then others have been constructed. The principal Buildings are the District Court House which cost Rs. 2,03,151, the Deputy Commissioner's Bungalow which cost Rs. 26,667 and Bungalows for the District Superintendent of Police, for Civil Surgeon, for four Extra Assistant Commissioners, an Assistant Commissioner's Bungalow at one time used as a Circuit House and now occupied by

Executive Engineer, Lower Tandula Division. The Duk Bungalow has been extended and now contains four sets of rooms, giving accommodation for four travellers at a time. There is no Jail at Drug, but a lock-up exists constructed at a cost of Rs. 11,512. There are also quarters for the Tahsildar and Naib-Tahsildar and a First Grade Middle School. Offices and quarters for a Tahsildar, Naib-Tahsildar and the Munsiff exist at Balod and Bemotara, *i.e.*, the Headquarters of the two Tahsils. A Circuit House costing Rs. 19,311 is under construction which will be completed shortly.

Supplement the following :—

The sanctioned strength of the Police Force under the District Superintendent of Police has increased by one Inspector and three Sub-Inspectors since A Volume was published. The Station-House at Mohala not being central has been removed to Manpur. The cost of the force increased to about Rs. 89,000 in 1911. 70 per cent. of the recruits belong to the Central Provinces and the remainder to Northern India. Efforts, so far unsuccessful, are being made to induce some of the forest tribesmen to enlist. They make excellent orderlies and would also remain more healthy in jungle Station-Houses like Manpur and Chowki than does the ordinary class of recruit.

Para. 185, page 128.  
Police.

The present number of Kotwars is 1,570 and 659 for Khalsa and Zamindari villages respectively. At the current Settlement made by Mr. Hemingway, I.C.S., their remuneration was fixed as follows :—

Para. 130, page 128.  
Kotwars.

(1) From Malguzars.—

$\frac{1}{2}$  to 1 Katha of grain per acre of the home-farm area, minus twice the rental valuation of the service land held by the Kotwar.

(2) From Tenants—

$\frac{1}{2}$  to 1 Katha of grain per rupee of rent.

(3) Weighing fees per annum calculated at Re. 1 per Rs. 100 worth of grain.

In some villages the Malguzars are further required to contribute towards the Kotwars remuneration at three pies per rupee of ryoti rents.

The Government of India have approved of a minimum remuneration of village watchmen at a rate of Rs. 4 a month (Government of India, Home Department, letter No. 1091, dated the 13th December 1909).

Supplement the following:—

Para. 188, pages 129-130.

*Education.*—Since 1908-09 eight new schools have been opened and two old ones closed. The number of schools is now 126, including the First Grade Anglo-Vernacular Middle School at Drug. In 1911-12 the Dhamda Primary School was converted into a Model Vernacular Middle School.

*Female Education.*—Since 1908-09 four aided Girls Schools have been opened, of which one at Patan has been provincialized. The number of girls receiving instruction has risen to 2,605.

*Private School.*—An additional private school has been opened at Ghursena in the Bemetara Tahsil and is attended by 54 boys.

*Depressed and Aboriginal Classes.*—There are no special schools for the education of these classes but, they attend the ordinary schools with the boys of other castes. The number of boys belonging to the depressed and aboriginal classes on the 31st March 1912 was —

	Males.	Females.
Gonds ... ..	1,078	411
Other depressed castes...	490	198

**Supplement the following :—**

A branch dispensary at Gunderdehi was opened on the 7th June 1912. One at Adamabad on the Tandula Head Works has also been opened for the treatment of the Irrigation officials and persons employed on the Tandula Irrigation scheme. Page 181, para. 189,  
Medical relief.

A small private dispensary at Mohalla; the Headquarters of the Panabaras Zamindari in charge of the Court of Wards, which is unhealthy has been opened at the expense of the Estate.

There is now accommodation for 21 indoor patients at the Drug Main Dispensary.

A further provincial grant of Rs. 3,000 was made in 1910-11 for the construction of certain buildings for the Leper Asylum at Chandkhuri.

\* The capitation grant for Government lepers has been raised from Rs. 5 to 6 per mensem, with effect from 5th June 1912.

A camp Veterinary Dispensary has been started both at Balod and Bemetara.

Vaccination is compulsory within the limits of the Notified Area of Drug. The administrative control of the establishment of Vaccinators rests with the Local bodies.

A telegraph office has been opened and the Village Sanitation Act has been extended to the village. Page 148, Balod.

**Add at the end of the family tree :—**

"Toransingh died in February 1911 and was succeeded by his eldest son Bikramsingh." Appendix. Page 144.  
Bartarpur Zamindari.

**Add at the end :—**

The Village Sanitation Act was brought into force with effect from the 1st October 1911. Page 152, Bemetara  
Village.

**Add at the end :—**

The village has now a Government Girls' School. Page 154, Deokar.

Page 164. Drug Town. Add to the concluding paragraph on page 166 :—

A grain Ganj is held here and it attracts a large number of carts.

Add below the family tree :—

Page 193. Sahaspur Lohara Zamindari History.

Manmohan Singh is dead and has left an only son Khilleshwar Singh.

Page 203. Thakurtola Zamindari.

At the end of the para. dealing with the history of the Zamindari add "Khumansingh died on the 9th June 1912, leaving two sons, named Kamodsingh and Raghunandansingh, who are minors."

Page 210. Wararbandh.

In line 15 after the word "Wararbandh" add "Padamsingh died in 1911 and was succeeded by his brother Kalandarsingh."

Add as a new Chapter VII-A after page 120 :—

Land Revenue Administration.

The Drug District comprises a portion of the old Mungeli Tahsil in the South-West of Bilaspur, the whole of the former Drug Tahsil, and some area of the Simga and Dhamtari Tahsils of Raipur. In 1907 four Zamindari Estates were detached from the Chanda District and added to Drug. The remarks made by Mr. H. E. Hemingway, I.C.S., Settlement Officer, in his 1908 Settlement Report of the Raipur District, regarding the history of that district are largely applicable to the Drug District.

The first regular settlement was made in 1862-68 by Mr. K. Hewitt, I.C.S., who settled the whole of the Raipur District and also some of the neighbouring Feudatory States. Having satisfied himself that the admitted assets were grossly understated, Mr. Hewitt proceeded to assess what he considered a fair revenue, and had there been no concealment of rents, the enhancement in the Drug Pargana would have amounted to 139 per cent. There can, however, be very little doubt that assets were greatly concealed and that the enhancement imposed was very small. Old men who met Mr. Hemingway, I.C.S., Settlement Officer in 1908-10, assured him that Mr. Hewitt effected no enhancement of rents whatsoever.

The result of Mr. Hewitt's settlement was to raise the revenue of the tract re-settled from Rs. 1,57,710 to Rs. 2,44,738, an apparent enhancement of 55 per cent. Some doubts were expressed at the time whether the Chamars, who even then had rather a bad reputation, would pay the new rents, but there was no trouble and the success of the settlement entirely justified Mr. Hewitt's strong action.

The first regular settlement was for 20 years, but when the time for re-settlement came round survey operations were not complete, and it was decided to make a summary settlement of the Drug Tahsil which lay west of the Sheonath and Karun, and the two portions of the Sanjari Parganah of the Dhamtari Tahsil, *i. e.*, to say, that the whole of the tract now settled by Mr. Hemingway, I.C.S., was summarily settled for 10 years in 1885-87, except for the present Thema group and 59 villages of the Haldi group, which were regularly settled by Mr. Carey along with the rest of the Raipur District.

There had been an increase of 19 per cent. in the occupied area during the currency of the first regular settlement, so that though Shri Bahadoor Aulad Husain merely recorded existing rents as they were and though there was a very large amount of rent enhancement, he succeeded in raising the revenue from Rs. 2,25,438 to Rs. 3,07,224 or by 32 per cent. The Malguzars at first protested at the revenue being raised without any rent enhancement, but when they found that they could themselves raise rents, and that by doing this after, instead of before, assessment, they obtained the whole of the increase instead of having to give Government a share, they became reconciled to their lot. In the small regularly settled tract, where Mr. Carey, I.C.S., was working on the soil unit system, a rental enhancement of Rs. 9,544 or 24 per cent. was imposed. The revenue was raised from Rs. 19,300 to Rs. 32,145 or by 67 per cent. so that the rent enhancement did not help the Malguzars very much. The result of the second settlement was to raise the revenue of the tract from Rs. 2,44,738 to Rs. 3,29,369 or by 35 per cent.

In 1897 Mr. E. R. K. Blenkinsop, I.C.S., was posted as Settlement Officer and commenced with the re-settlement of the old Drug Tahsil. Famines seriously interrupted the operations, and in 1903 they were abandoned after regularly settling the Drug Tahsil, summarily settling the jungly portion of the Sanjari Parganah and attesting the summarily settled portion of the Simga Tahsil. Mr. Blenkinsop raised the revenue of the Drug Tahsil from Rs. 1,72,392 to Rs. 2,05,118 or by 19 per cent.; he enhanced rents by Rs. 23,245 or 9 per cent. In the Sanjari group he raised the revenue from Rs. 5,173 to 5,195 so that he brought the revenue of the whole tract which has been re-settled now by Mr. Hemingway, I.C.S., to Rs. 3,62,117. Since 1868 the revenue has been increased by 48 per cent. and the following table will show the progress of rental enhancement:—

At Mr. Hewitt's Settlement.		At Mr. Carey's and K. B. Anlad Husain's Settlement.		At Mr. Blenkinsop's Settlement.				
Total rents.	Total rents.	Increase since Mr. Hewitt's Settlement.	Per cent. of increase.	Total rents.	Increase since Mr. Hewitt's Settlement.	Per cent.	Increase since Mr. Carey's Settlement.	Per cent.
3,25,678	4,64,576	1,38,898	48	4,86,884	1,61,206	50	22,988	9

To make the foregoing remarks more clear the tract resettled now from North to South is taken and it is detailed below how each portion has been settled in the past.

#### BEMETARA TAHSIL (FORMERLY SIMGA TAHSIL).

Regularly settled, 1862-1868. Summarily settled, 1885-1887.

#### DRUG TAHSIL PRESENT.

Regularly settled, 1862-1868. Summarily settled, 1885-1887.

Regularly settled, 1897-1902.

#### SANJARI TAHSIL.

Bhandara and Pinkapar groups—same as Drug Tahsil.

Sanjari group—regularly settled, 1862-1868. Summarily settled, 1885-1887. Summarily settled, 1902.

Western half of Haldi group regularly settled, 1862-1868.  
Primarily settled, 1885-1887.

Eastern half of Haldi group and Thema group regularly settled,  
1862-1868. Regularly settled, 1885-1889.

The re-settlement of the District as reconstituted and excluding the Zamindaris resulted in rent enhancement by 30 per cent. and  
Effect of Settlement.  
venue enhancement by 40 per cent.

The total revised revenue falls at Rs. 6,11,515 as against its effect on the  
Rs. 4,35,908 fixed at the last Settlement. The revenue enhancement Malguzars.  
Rs. 1,75,607, but as the rent enhancement is Rs. 1,81,867 the  
Malguzars stand to gain by the re-settlement.

On the whole the system of rent enhancement has been a success. Its effects on the  
since there have been no complaints. To emphasize this it may be tenar--  
stated that in a village in which the enhancement was over 50 per  
cent. the tenants were chukling over their revised rents which  
proved clearly that there was good deal of rent concealment and  
the revised rents do not press.

In November 1908 the attestation of the District was started and Progress of settle-  
ment operations.  
it was completed by the end of March 1911. The announcement  
of revised rents and revenue was taken in hand in December 1911  
and completed by the end of February 1912.

In line 19 after the words "the village has a primary school" Chapter VIII,  
insert the following "which has now been raised to the status of Appendix.  
Anglo-Vernacular Middle School." Page 166—Dhanda

In the last but one sentence between the words "a primary Page 132. Patan  
school" and "a Branch Post Office" add the following "a girls'  
school."

In line 11 add the following "a dispensary has been opened Page 175. Gunderdahi  
there." Zamindari.  
Miscellaneous.

In line 10 for "at Newai" read "at Ruwsbandha."

Arboriculture.  
Chapter VI, Para. 116.  
Page 114.









